

Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 SAN SA 04141 111457Z
ACTION ARA-14

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SY-05 MCT-02 HA-05 CIAE-00 DODE-00
PM-05 H-01 INR-10 L-03 NSAE-00 NSC-05 PA-01
SP-02 SS-15 ICA-11 AID-05 EB-08 AGR-01 TRSE-00
/094 W

-----046345 121841Z /40

R 111140Z AUG 78
FM AMEMBASSY SAN SALVADOR
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9176
INFO AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA
AMEMBASSY MANAGUA
AMEMBASSY SAN JOSE
AMEMBASSY TEGUCIGALPA
USCINCSO QUARRY HEIGHTS CZ

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE SAN SALVADOR 4141

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: PINT, PINS, SHUM, PINR, ES
SUBJECT: PROMINENT SANTA ANA COFFEE GROWER KIDNAPPED

1. ACCORDING TO A RADIO REPORT EARLY AFTERNOON OF AUGUST 10, ARMANDO TOMAS MONEDERO BARREIRO, A PROMINENT COFFEEGROWER, WAS KIDNAPPED AROUND MIDDAY FROM COLONIA PALMAR IN THE CITY OF SANTA ANA. REPORT STATED ASSAILANTS WERE DRESSED IN WHITE AND TOOK MONEDERO AWAY IN A YELLOW PICKUP TRUCK (LICENSE PLATE NUMBER UNKNOWN). SO FAR, NO GROUP HAS CLAIMED CREDIT FOR THE KIDNAPPING.

2. MONEDERO WAS MAYOR OF SANTA ANA FROM 1970-1972 AND 1974-1976 AND HAS ALSO SERVED AS SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE NATIONAL CONCILIATION PARTY (PCN) IN THE DEPARTMENT OF SANTA ANA. MONEDERO HAS, IN THE PAST, BEEN CONSIDERED CONSERVATIVE AND PATERNALISTIC IN HIS VIEWS ON THE "CAMPESENO". MONEDERO HAS ENJOYED A CERTAIN MEASURE
LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 SAN SA 04141 111457Z

OF POPULARITY BECAUSE OF HIS EFFORTS ON BEHALF OF
SANTA ANA SOCCER TEAM, FAS.
DEVINE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 jan 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: KIDNAPPING, COFFEE, BUSINESSMEN
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 11 aug 1978
Decaption Date: 01 jan 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 20 Mar 2014
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1978SANS04141
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Expiration:
Film Number: D780330-0823
Format: TEL
From: SAN SALVADOR
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1978/newtext/t19780873/aaaacdj.tel
Line Count: 58
Litigation Code IDs:
Litigation Codes:
Litigation History:
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Message ID: fecbf264-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Office: ACTION ARA
Original Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Retention: 0
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 14 jul 2005
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review Media Identifier:
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
SAS ID: 1767099
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: PROMINENT SANTA ANA COFFEE GROWER KIDNAPPED
TAGS: PINT, PINS, SHUM, PINR, ES, (MONEDERO BARREIRO, ARMANDO TOMAS)
To: STATE
Type: TE
vdkgvwkey: odb://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/fecbf264-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Review Markings:
Sheryl P. Walter
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
20 Mar 2014
Markings: Sheryl P. Walter Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 20 Mar 2014